

APPENDIX

VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The specification is changed as follows:

Page 12, delete the whole paragraph starting in line 10 and replace it with the following new paragraph:

- - In a modified form, [two] three or more bearings may be provided, instead of two. Further, each ball bearing may be made of ceramic in its entirety. Although the manufacturing cost is increased in this case, the wear and abrasion resistance and heat resistance of the ball bearings can be improved. Consequently, the service life of each ball bearing can be improved and errors in the accuracy can be prevented. - -

IN THE CLAIMS:

11. (Amended) The motor according to claim 3, wherein the polygon mirror is generally annular and has a reflecting surface, and the balancing groove is disposed inside relative to the reflecting surface of the polygon mirror.

End of Appendix